

BLOOMINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT



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BPD's Street Crimes Unit Arrests Two Adults; Handgun and Illegal Drugs Seized

Bloomington, IL –On Friday afternoon, 1-15-2021, the Bloomington Police Department's Street Crimes Unit arrested Ransom D. Fellers 22, of Bloomington as a result of an ongoing Street Crimes Unit investigation. Fellers was taken into custody without incident in the Clobertin Court area on offenses relating to his unlawful possession of a firearm by a felon and illegal drug sales. As a result of the investigation, a loaded pistol was seized and a variety of controlled substances were also seized. Also taken into custody, without incident, during the investigation was Brandy L. Collins, 21, of Bloomington.

Fellers was charged with:

CNT 1 - UNLAWFUL USE OF WEAPONS / FELON POSSESS / USE WEAPON / FIREARM CNT 2 - UNLAWFUL USE OF WEAPONS / FELON POSSESS / USE WEAPON / FIREARM CNT 3 - FIREARM/FOID INVALID/NOT ELIG CNT 4 - POSSESSION OF METH< 5 GRAMS CNT 5 - POSSESS AMOUNT (UP TO 15 GRAMS) CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE EXCEPT(A) / (D) CNT 6 - POSSESS AMOUNT (UP TO 15 GRAMS) CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE EXCEPT(A) / (D) Bond requested - \$100,000 - 10% to apply.

Collins was charged with:

CNT 1 - POSSESS AMOUNT (UP TO 15 GRAMS) CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE EXCEPT(A) / (D) Bond requested - \$10,000 - Personal Recognizance

All suspect(s) are presumed innocent unless proven guilty in the court of law.

The BPD's Street Crimes Unit focuses primarily on preventing violent crimes by enforcing crimes related to shootings, weapons possession, drug possession, and other violent crimes.

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If you wish to submit a tip and remain anonymous, please contact the Crime & Intelligence Analysis Unit (CIAU) at (309)-434-2963 or email CIAU@cityblm.org . The CIAU office is staffed from 8am-4:30pm, weekdays. If no one is available to answer your call, please leave the information on the voicemail or send it by e-mail.

BPD'S STREET CRIMES UNIT ARRESTS TWO ADULTS; HANDGUN AND ILLEGAL DRUGS SEIZED



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